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FROM DIRECTOR FBI

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3/13/72

DAVE LONG; RUSSELL MEANS; OSCAR HOLLOW HORN; NUMEROUS UNKNOWN

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SUBJECT: [REDACTED] CR; BURGLARY; LARCENY.

DASH VICTIM, CIR DASH

ASSIMILATIVE CRIMES STATUTE DASH ASSAULT.

RE MINNEAPOLIS TELETYPE THREE THIRTEEN SEVENTYTWO.

SUTEL BUREAU RESULTS OF CONFERENCE WITH THE U. S. ATTORNEY  
AND ADVISE BUREAU ACTION CONTEMPLATED THEREAFTER.

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Mr. Miller, E.S. \_\_\_\_\_  
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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM MINNEAPOLIS (70-NEW) 2P

DAVE LONG; RUSSELL MEANS; OSCAR HOLLOW HORN; NUMEROUS  
UNKNOWN SUBJECTS. CIR; BURGLARY; LARCENY.

[REDACTED] DASH VICTIM. CIR DASH

ASSIMILATIVE CRIMES STATUTE DASH ASSAULT.

RE MINNEAPOLIS TELETYPES TO DIRECTOR AND OMAHA DATED  
MARCH TEN INSTANT, ENTITLED, "DEMONSTRATION PINE RIDGE INDIAN  
RESERVATION, S.D. MARCH NINE LAST. INTERNAL SECURITY DASH  
AMERICAN INDIAN MATTER."

LONG, MEANS, HOLLOW HORN, AND SEVERAL HUNDRED OTHER  
UNKNOWN INDIANS FORCIBLY BROKE INTO WOUNDED KNEE MEMORIAL  
MUSEUM, PINE RIDGE, S.D. INDIAN RESERVATION, MARCH NINE LAST.  
DID CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE; AMOUNT YET UNKNOWN. REMOVED  
APPROXIMATELY FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF INDIAN ARTIFACTS  
FROM BUILDING. SUBJECTS ARE ENROLLED INDIANS.  
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ON MARCH SEVEN LAST, [REDACTED] ALLEGEDLY ASSAULTED  
[REDACTED] AND REPORTEDLY CHOKED  
HIM. [REDACTED] A KNOWN INDIAN, IS [REDACTED] WOUNDED  
KNEE TRADING POST. MEDICAL EXAMINATION OF [REDACTED]  
CONDUCTED BUT RESULTS NOT YET AVAILABLE. INCIDENT OCCURRED  
AT WOUNDED KNEE, S.D.

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Mr. Conrad  
Mr. Dalbey  
Mr. Cleveland  
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7:56 PM NITEL 3/13/72 CMH

TO DIRECTOR

FROM MINNEAPOLIS (70-6361) 2P

DAVE LONG; RUSSELL MEAN; OSCAR HOLLOW HORN; NUMEROUS UNKNOWN SUBJECTS  
Crime on Indian Reservation  
CIR - BURGLARY.

Reference

RE MINNEAPOLIS TELETYPES MARCH TEN, LAST, AND MARCH  
THIRTEEN, INSTANT.

U. S. Attorney

South Dakota

USA WILLIAM F. CLAYTON, SIOUX FALLS, S.D. ADVISED

THIS DATE HE HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH LEADERS OF AIM AT PINE  
RIDGE INDIAN RESERVATION AND THEY DESIRED TO HAVE AN OFFICIAL  
OF AIM OR ONE OF THE TRIBAL COUNCIL BE PRESENT AT ALL INTERVIEWS  
IN CONNECTION WITH THE INVESTIGATION OF THE ABOVE SUBJECTS.  
CLAYTON ADVISED THESE LEADERS THEY WOULD NOT BE PRESENT AT  
ANY INTERVIEWS IN CONNECTION WITH THIS INVESTIGATION. CLAYTON  
ADVISED IF POSSIBLE, HE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE RELIABLE OBSERVERS  
LOCATED AND INTERVIEWED WITH THE VIEW OF HAVING THEM  
SUBPOENAED BEFORE A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, WITHIN THE MONTH. HE DESIRES THAT  
THESE OBSERVERS NOT BE ANY OF THOSE INDIVIDUALS WHO PARTICIPATE IN THE  
AMERICAN Indian Movement

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IN THE BURGLARY OF THE WOUNDED KNEE TRADING POST, PINE  
RIDGE INDIAN RESERVATION, ON MARCH NINE, LAST. CONCERNING THE  
SUBJECTS, LEADERS OF AIM DEMAND IN THE EVENT LONG, MEAN, OR  
HOLLOW HORN ARE INDICTED, THEY DEMAND THAT [REDACTED]  
ALSO BE INDICTED FOR ASSAULT ON [REDACTED]

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March 14, 1972  
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

This concerns the case wherein on 3/9/72, approximately 300 Indians broke into a museum and store at Wounded Knee, Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, South Dakota, assaulting the owner and stealing an estimated \$50,000 worth of Indian artifacts. There were no personal injuries or deaths, however, the building was damaged. We contacted the U. S. Attorney to determine if, from facts available, he felt a Federal violation within our investigative jurisdiction had occurred.

Attached sets forth that the U. S. Attorney contemplates convening Federal Grand Jury within the month calling reliable witnesses to testify.

Our inquiry into this matter is continuing.

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

MAR 13 1972

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Mr. Evans  
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1135AM URGENT 3-13-72 MBM

TO DIRECTOR

FROM MINNEAPOLIS (70-6361) (70-5352)

DAVE LONG; RUSSELL MEANS; OSCAR HOLLOW HORN; NUMEROUS UN-  
KNOWN SUBJECTS. CIR; BURGLARY; LARCENY.

DASH VICTIM. CIR DASH

ASSIMILATIVE CRIMES STATUTE DASH ASSAULT.

RE MINNEAPOLIS TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR MARCH TEN LAST, AND  
MINNEAPOLIS TELETYPES TO DIRECTOR DATED MARCH TEN ELEVEN AND  
TWELVE, LAST, ENTITLED "DEMONSTRATION PINE RIDGE INDIAN RESER-  
VATION, S. D., MARCH NINE, LAST. INTERNAL SECURITY DASH AMERICAN  
INDIAN MATTER."

LEADER RUSSELL MEANS, AMERICAN INDIAN MOVEMENT; TRIBAL VICE-  
PRESIDENT DAVE LONG; TRIBAL COUNCIL MEMBER OSCAR HOLLOW HORN; AND  
AN ESTIMATED THREE HUNDRED INDIANS LED BY THESE INDIVIDUALS,  
STOPPED AT WOUNDED KNEE, S. D., PAREN PINE RIDGE INDIAN RESERVA-  
TION PAREN, AT APPROXIMATELY TWO THIRTY P. M., MARCH NINE, LAST.  
WHILE EN ROUTE TO PORCUPINE, S. D., FOR REBURIAL OF RAYMOND

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YELLOW THUNDER, ALLEGED MURDER VICTIM AT GORDON, NEBRASKA, MARCH SIX, LAST.

WOUNDED KNEE TRADING POST CONSISTS OF STORE AND MUSEUM

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT ON MARCH SEVEN, LAST, MR. [REDACTED] EJECTED [REDACTED] FROM STORE, AFTER BOY HAD DEFIED AND CURSED MRS. [REDACTED] WITNESSES ADVISED MR.

[REDACTED] TOOK [REDACTED] BY ARM AND WALKED HIM OUTDOORS. [REDACTED] STATED [REDACTED] THEN CURSED HIM, WHEREUPON HE GRABBED BOY BY FRONT OF HIS SHIRT AND TOLD HIM TO STOP CURSING.

[REDACTED] DENIED ANY FURTHER VIOLENCE. [REDACTED] STATED [REDACTED] [REDACTED] WITNESSED INCIDENT AND TOLD MEANS HER SON HAD NOT BEEN MOLESTED BUT MEANS REFUSED TO BELIEVE HER. RUMORS AROSE IN PINE RIDGE AREA THAT [REDACTED] HAD CHOKED BOY. MEDICAL EXAMINATION CONDUCTED BUT RESULTS NOT YET AVAILABLE.

UPON ARRIVAL AT TRADING POST, UNKNOWN INDIANS ENTERED STORE AND APPEARED TO BE LOOKING AROUND. A  
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SHORT TIME LATER, A BUS AND APPROXIMATELY ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE CARS ARRIVED AT SCENE. INDIANS ENTERED STORE AND PROCEEDED TO LOOT STORE OF A SMALL QUANTITY OF INDIAN COSTUME ARTICLES.

[REDACTED] PUSHED OUT OF STORE BY INDIANS, WHO ORDERED ALL SIGNS ADVERTISING THE STORE IN THE AREA BE REMOVED BEFORE THEY RETURNED. LONG ALLEGEDLY STOOD ON CAR AND URGED GROUP ON. GROUP THEN BROKE THROUGH LOCKED DOOR OF ADJOINING MUSEUM, SMASHED SHOWCASES, CUT PICTURES, AND TOOK AN ESTIMATED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF INDIAN ARTIFACTS. GROUP THEN DISPERSED. NO PERSONAL INJURIES OR DEATHS INVOLVED IN INCIDENT. INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.

USA WILLIAM F. CLAYTON, SIOUX FALLS, S. D., ADVISED MARCH ELEVEN, LAST, HE WISHED TO CONFER WITH FBI MARCH THIRTEEN INSTANT.

USA BEING CONTACTED AND BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

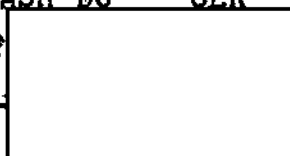
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1034PM NITEL 3-20-72 AGL

TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM MINNEAPOLIS 70-6361 2P

TITLE CHANGED; UNSUBS (FOUR); NUMEROUS UNKNOWN SUBJECTS; CIR  
 DASH BURGLARY; LARCENY.

TITLE FORMERLY CARRIED AS: DAVE LONG; RUSSELL MEAN; OSCAR  
 HOLLOW HORN; NUMEROUS UNSUBS; CIR DASH BURGLARY.

INVESTIGATION AT WOUNDED KNEE, SOUTH DAKOTA, DETERMINED  
 FOUR UNKNOWN JUVENILES FROM PINE RIDGE, SOUTH DAKOTA, BROKE INTO  
 WOUNDED KNEE MEMORIAL MUSEUM AT WOUNDED KNEE, SOUTH DAKOTA, PINE  
 RIDGE RESERVATION ON THREE NINE, SEVENTYTWO.

THIS MUSEUM

AND OTHERS, IS NOT AN OFFICIAL TRIBAL MEMORIAL

MUSEUM OF THE OGLALA SIOUX TRIBE.

NO INDICATION MEANS, LONG OR HOLLOW HORN ARE INVOLVED.

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USA WILLIAM F. CLAYTON DESIRES TO HANDLE THIS MATTER WITH TRIBAL OFFICIALS IF SUBJECTS CAN BE IDENTIFIED, AS IT APPEARS GRADE SCHOOL CHILDREN ARE INVOLVED IN THIS SITUATION; SIOUX INDIAN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS INDICATE MATERIAL LOSS HAS BEEN GROSSLY EXAGGERATED.

REPORT FOLLOWS.

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March 13, 1972

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Attached sets forth that on 3/9/72 approximately 300 Indians broke into a museum and store at Wounded Knee, Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, South Dakota, assaulting the owner and stealing an estimated \$50,000 worth of Indian artifacts. There were no personal injuries or deaths, however, the building was damaged. We contacted the U. S. Attorney to determine if, from facts available, he felt a Federal violation within our investigative jurisdiction had occurred. He has requested to confer with us today, 3/13/72.

Our inquiry into this matter is continuing and we are awaiting the decision of the U. S. Attorney.

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TELETYPE

FROM MINNEAPOLIS (70-6361)

TITLE CHANGED; UNSUBS (FOUR); NUMEROUS UNKNOWN SUBJECTS; CIR- BURGLARY  
; LARCENY.

TITLE FORMERLY CARRIED AS: DAVE LONG; RUSSELL MEAN;  
OSCAR HOLLOW HORN; NUMEROUS UNSUBS; CIR - BURGLARY.

INVESTIGATION AT WOUNDED KNEE, SOUTH DAKOTA, DETERMINED FOUR  
UNKNOWN JUVENILES FROM PINE RIDGE, SOUTH DAKOTA, BROKE INTO WOUNDED  
KNEE MEMORIAL MUSEUM AT WOUNDED KNEE, SOUTH DAKOTA, PINE RIDGE  
RESERVATION ON THREE NINE, SEVENTYTWO.

THIS MUSEUM

AND OTHERS, IS NOT AN OFFICAL TRIBAL MEMORIAL MUSEUM OF

THE OGLALA SIOUX TRIBE.

NO INDICATION MEANS, LONG, OR HOLLOW HORN ARE INVOLVED.

USA WILLIAM F. CLAYTON DESIRES TO HANDLE THIS MATTER WITH  
TRIBAL OFFICALS IF SUBJECTS CAN BE IDENTIFIED, AS IT APPEARS GRADE  
SCHOOL CHILDREN ARE INVOLVED IN THIS SITUATION; SIOUX INDIAN LAW  
ENFORCEMENT OFFICALS INDICATE MATERIAL LOSS HAS BEEN GROSSLY  
EXAGGERATED. REPORT FOLLOWS.

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE <b>MINNEAPOLIS</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>MINNEAPOLIS</b>	DATE <b>3/28/72</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>3/9/72 - 3/24/72</b>
TITLE OF CASE <b>CHANGED OSCAR HOLLOW HORN; [REDACTED] DAVE LONG; RUSSELL MEANS; [REDACTED] NUMEROUS UNKNOWN SUBJECTS</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>FRANCIS R. MC GINTY</b> CHARACTER OF CASE <b>CIR - BURGLARY; LARCENY</b>	TYPED BY <b>wkb</b>

Title marked changed to include in the title the names DAVE LONG, RUSSELL MEANS, OSCAR HOLLOW HORN, [REDACTED] title previously carried as Numerous Unknown Subjects.

REFERENCE

Minneapolis teletype to Bureau, 3/10/72;  
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AT PINE RIDGE, SOUTH DAKOTA

1. Will contact [redacted] Investigator, Bureau of Indian Affairs, in an effort to develop the identity of any unknown subjects in this matter.

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2. Will attempt to identify the [redacted] [redacted] and interview her concerning theft of articles from Wounded Knee Trading Post Store.

3. Will attempt to interview [redacted] and [redacted] concerning their participation in theft of articles from Wounded Knee Trading Post Store on March 9, 1972.

AT SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA

Will maintain contact with U. S. Attorney WILLIAM F. CLAYTON for a prosecutive opinion, it being noted Mr. CLAYTON advised on March 17, 1972, that he would hold an opinion in abeyance pending receipt of report of investigation.

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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION**

Copy to: 1 - U. S. ATTORNEY, SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA

Report of: FRANCIS R. MC GINTY Office: MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA  
Date: MARCH 28, 1972

Field Office File #: 70-6361 Bureau File #:  
CHANGED

Title: OSCAR HOLLOW HORN;  
[REDACTED]  
DAVE LONG;  
RUSSELL MEANS;  
[REDACTED]  
NUMEROUS UNKNOWN SUBJECTS

~~Character:~~  
Character: CRIME ON INDIAN RESERVATION -  
~~Synopsis:~~  
BURGLARY; LARCENY

Synopsis:

Title marked changed to include in the title the names DAVE LONG, RUSSELL MEANS, OSCAR HOLLOW HORN, [REDACTED] OSCAR HOLLOW HORN, member of the Oglala Sioux Tribal Council; RUSSELL MEANS, leader American Indian Movement (AIM), on 3/9/72, lead a group of Indians to Wounded Knee Trading Post and Memorial Museum, Wounded Knee, South Dakota, which is located on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation. Above individuals directed and encouraged unknown subjects to loot merchandise from Wounded Knee Trading Post. Four unknown juveniles broke into locked Memorial Museum and removed numerous artifacts reported to be valued at from \$5,000 to \$50,000. RICHARD G. COLHOFF, Special Agency Officer, Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA), Pine Ridge, South Dakota, advised Tribal Police Department on scene at confrontation at Wounded Knee, on 3/9/72, refused to take any action against persons looting trading post and museum. Captain [REDACTED] Pine Ridge, South Dakota, Police Department, refused to instruct other officers to take action in this matter. [REDACTED] Wounded Knee Trading Post, verbally abused during course of confrontation. Mrs. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] of trading post, overheard subjects advise young Indians that they had a right to all property in trading post and told them to loot store. Law enforcement officers [REDACTED] Pine Ridge, PD, and [REDACTED] Deputy Sheriff, Fall

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River County, on scene at confrontation; however, they had no instructions to make arrests. [redacted] observed four teenage Indian boys break into museum and lead group of school children in ransacking museum of artifacts. USA CLAYTON, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, advised.

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Details:

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The facts in this case were discussed with U. S. Attorney WILLIAM F. CLAYTON, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, on March 17, 1972, and he advised he would hold any prosecutive opinion in this matter in abeyance until he could evaluate all of the facts in the case with a view of perhaps presenting this matter to a Federal Grand Jury at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, at a later date.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE <b>MINNEAPOLIS</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>MINNEAPOLIS</b>	DATE <b>6/30/72</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>5/22/72 - 6/19/72</b>
TITLE OF CASE <b>OSCAR HOLLOW HORN;</b> <b>DAVE LONG;</b> <b>RUSSELL MEANS;</b> <b>NUMEROUS UNKNOWN SUBJECTS</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>JOHN E. MC CARTY</b>	TYPED BY <b>kcw</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE <b>CIR-BURGLARY; LARCENY</b>	

REFERENCE

Minneapolis report of SA FRANCIS R. MC GINTY  
dated 4/26/72.

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Copy to: 1 - USA, Sioux Falls, South Dakota

Report of: JOHN E. MC CARTY Office: Minneapolis,  
Date: June 30, 1972 Minnesota

Field Office File #: 70-6361 Bureau File #:

Title: OSCAR HOLLOW HORN ;  
[REDACTED]  
DAVE LONG ;  
RUSSELL MEANS ;  
[REDACTED]

Character: NUMEROUS UNKNOWN SUBJECTS.

Synopsis: CRIME ON INDIAN RESERVATION-BURGLARY  
LARCENY

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USA advised case will be presented to next FGJ.

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DETAILSAT RAPID CITY, SOUTH DAKOTA

On May 22, 1972 United States Attorney WILLIAM F. CLAYTON advised no prosecutive opinion has yet been reached in this matter but the Justice Department will be consulted on it.

On June 19, 1972 Mr. CLAYTON advised facts of this case will be presented to the next Federal Grand Jury.

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE <b>MINNEAPOLIS</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>MINNEAPOLIS</b>	DATE <b>9/11/72</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>7/6 - 8/22/72</b>
TITLE OF CASE <b>OSCAR HOLLOW HORN; [REDACTED] DAVE LONG; RUSSELL MEANS; [REDACTED] NUMEROUS UNKNOWN SUBJECTS</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>JOHN E. MC CARTY</b>	TYPED BY <b>jss</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>CIR - BURGLARY; LARCENY</b>	

REFERENCE

Minneapolis report of SA JOHN E. MC CARTY dated 6/30/72.

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1. Interview [REDACTED] Pine Ridge Indian Reservation.

2. Interview [REDACTED] at Scenic, South Dakota regarding his alleged purchase of a bow and arrow from the Wounded Knee Museum.

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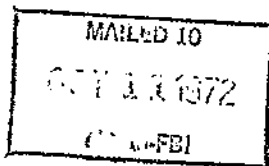
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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (70-55989)  
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

DATE: 9/25/72

FROM : SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (70-6361) *RECEIVED*

SUBJECT: OSCAR HOLLOW HORN;  
ET AL  
CIR - BURGLARY;  
LARCENY

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Enclosed for the Bureau are five (5) photographs.

In March, 1972, a large group of unknown Indians broke into the Wounded Knee Store and Museum at Wounded Knee, South Dakota, within the confines of the Pine Ridge, South Dakota Indian Reservation, and took approximately \$507,000 worth of items from the buildings.

On September 6, 1972, Criminal Investigator [redacted] [redacted] Police Department, Pine Ridge, South Dakota, made available the enclosed photographs, which from the writing on the back of them and from the scenes depicted, were apparently taken at the time of the incident. These photographs were found in a billfold which had apparently been lost.

The Laboratory is requested to enlarge the photographs so that an effort may be made to identify some or all of the persons in them, so they may be interviewed.

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Subject RUSSELL MEANS

Birthdate &amp; Place \_\_\_\_\_

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December 4, 1972

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Honorable John Wesley Dean, III  
Counsel to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

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CC TO: SS  
REQ. REC'D 4-24-73  
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Dear Mr. Dean:

Reference is made to your name check request concerning [redacted] and some other individuals.

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Attached are separate memoranda concerning the following individuals:

[redacted]  
Clyde Bellecourt  
Vernon Bellecourt

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Russell C. Means  
[redacted]

Sincerely yours,  
For the Acting Director  
*[Signature]*  
W. Mark Felt  
Acting Associate Director

Enclosures (9)

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- Mr. Armstrong
- Ms. Herwig
- Mrs. Neenan

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RUSSELL C. MEANS

Summary

Captioned individual, who is known to be associated with individuals who you advised were involved in the recent Indian demonstration at the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) building, had not been the subject of an FBI investigation until this demonstration.

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However, an IBM electric typewriter stolen from the BIA building during the Indian occupation was recovered in a vehicle occupied by Russell Means and other Indians November 13, 1972, at St. Paul, Minnesota. Means indicated he resided at the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, Pine Ridge, South Dakota.

Investigation is continuing to determine whether Means and the other occupants were involved in a theft of Government property. (52-20093-45)

Means was the victim and the complainant in a Civil Rights investigation in December, 1967, in which Means alleged he was refused service at a tavern in Winner, South Dakota. No violation of Federal law was found. (175-5275)

Approximately 50 Indians demonstrated at Mount Rushmore National Memorial, Keystone, South Dakota, and encamped there June 6, 1971. Their purpose was to protest an alleged violation of an 1868 treaty. The demonstration was lead by Russell Means, described as a member of the American Indian Movement (AIM), formerly from South Dakota and then residing in the Cleveland, Ohio, area. Several of the Indians, including Means, were arrested on misdemeanor charges. (100-203031-24)

In November, 1971, Means was listed as an individual available for speaking engagements through the Movement Speakers Bureau, also known as Movement Speakers, organized in New York City by activist Abbie Hoffman for the purpose of booking radical speakers on college campuses. (100-451013)

NOTE: Per request of John Dean, Counsel to the President.

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Russell C. Means

An article in a Lincoln, Nebraska, March 3, 1972, newspaper described Means as president of AIM and a participant in a "World in Revolution" conference at the University of Nebraska in March, 1972. Speakers included Bobby Seale of the Black Panther Party and Jerry Rubin, co-founder of the Youth International Party. (CG-114972)

A Scottsbluff, Nebraska, newspaper on March 4, 1972, described Means as National Coordinator of AIM and quoted him as saying a recent demonstration and looting at the Wounded Knee Trading Post and Museum resulted from the "attempted strangling" of a 14-year-old Indian boy. Means was also quoted as saying that the body of recently slain Raymond Yellow Thunder showed evidence of "harassment." Raymond Yellow Thunder had been found dead at Gordon, Nebraska. (105-203200-145-24)

Several hundred Indians from about ten states met March 6, 1972, at Pine Ridge, South Dakota, and were urged by Means and Indian leader Dennis Banks to go to Gordon, Nebraska, to "wipe Gordon off the map."

The Indians demanded that first degree murder charges be brought against five persons allegedly responsible for the death of Raymond Yellow Thunder. At a rally March 7, 1972, attended by about 400 Indians, Means was the principal speaker, but his statements were not considered by local officials to be particularly inflammatory. He and the other demonstrating Indians, led by an AIM faction, demanded, among other things, that Raymond Yellow Thunder's body be exhumed and another autopsy performed.

Demonstrations March 6 through March 8, 1972, at Gordon stemmed from the death of Raymond Yellow Thunder and an incident at the Wounded Knee Trading Post and Museum in which a teenage Indian boy was ejected from the premises for using foul language. (105-203200-128, 129)

Means led about 150 members of the AIM peacefully into the BIA office building in Pine Ridge, South Dakota, March 14, 1972, during a Tribal Council meeting. The AIM demanded, among other things, removal of traders from reservations and control of all traders by the Tribal Council. (105-203200-133)

Russell C. Means

On May 24, 1972, Means was a participant in an Indian demonstration at Alliance, Nebraska, in connection with the trial of two men charged with the killing of Raymond Yellow Thunder. The Indians demanded food and lodging. A newspaper article described Means as the National Director of AIM. (105-203000-100)

A confidential source advised November 13, 1972, that Means was one of the AIM members planning to meet in Albuquerque, New Mexico, or Phoenix, Arizona, sometime prior to November 25, 1972, to review BIA files stolen during the Indian occupation of the BIA building, Washington, D. C. Others who were to meet were Carter Camp, Vernon Bellecourt, Dennis Banks, and Clyde Bellecourt. (52-20000-13)

The central files of the FBI, including the files of the Identification Division, contain no additional pertinent information concerning captioned individual based upon background information submitted in connection with this name check request.

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REPORTING OFFICE <b>MINNEAPOLIS</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>MINNEAPOLIS</b>	DATE <b>12/27/72</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>9/6/12 - 12/19/72</b>
TITLE OF CASE  <b>OSCAR HOLLOW HORN, ET AL</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>JOHN E. MC CARTY</b>	TYPED BY <b>dlk</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>CIR - BURGLARY; LARCENY</b>	

REFERENCE: Minneapolis report of SA JOHN E. MC CARTY dated September 11, 1972. Minneapolis letter to Bureau dated September 25, 1972.

LEADS:

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AT RAPID CITY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Interview following persons for any information they may have regarding the break-in of the Wounded Knee Museum:

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CONVIC.	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES		
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						PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

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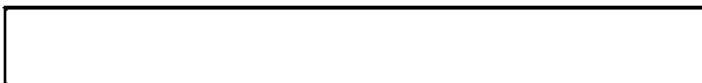
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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Report of: JOHN E. MC CARTY  
Date: DECEMBER 27, 1972

Office: MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA

Field Office File #: 70-6361

Bureau File #: 70-55989

Title: OSCAR HOLLOW HORN,  
ET ALCharacter: CRIME ON INDIAN RESERVATION -  
BURGLARY;  
LARCENY

## Synopsis:

Photographs of incident at Wounded Knee, South Dakota found and turned in to police department. [redacted] denies obtaining any property from Wounded Knee Museum. [redacted] admits being at Wounded Knee, but denies knowing who was involved in burglary. She admits recognizing only RUSSELL MEANS in photographs. Names of several persons in photos obtained.

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DETAILS:AT RAPID CITY, SOUTH DAKOTA